



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re

Paul M. Scopton

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Docket No.: 1001.1375101

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For: FLUID INJECTABLE SINGLE OPERATOR EXCHANGE CATHETERS AND
METHODS OF USE

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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By Kathleen L. Boekley
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Dear Sir:

It is requested that the time for filing the attached Notice of Appeal, now set to expire on February 24, 2004, be extended for one (1) month to now expire on March 24, 2004. Fees in the amount of \$110 are attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

Paul M. Scopton

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